



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Yee Loong Chin et al. )  
Application No.: 10/810,173 )  
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For: Polaroid Absolute Encoder )

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on February 6, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above referenced application. Please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks for allowance of the above-identified patent application.